Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the applications:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended) A swash plate-type compressor comprising: a rotatable swash plate:

a piston is connected to said swash plate via at least one shoe and reciprocates in company with each rotation of said swash plate; and

wherein said swash plate comprises a layer of a sintered metal impregnated with a resin on at least a swash plate surface sliding against said at least one shoe, and a surface of said layer is ground, wherein said metal comprises a solid lubricant and wherein said solid lubricant is selected from the group consisting of tungsten disulfide, boron nitride, antimony oxide, indium, stannum, argentum, and plumbum.

Claim 2. (Currently Amended) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said metal is selected from the group consisting of a copper alloy and an aluminum alloy.

Claim 3-12. (Canceled).

Claim 13. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is a thermoplastic resin.

Claim 14. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is a thermosetting resin.

Claim 15. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is an epoxy resin.

Claim 16. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is a phenol resin.

Claim 17. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is a polyimideamide resin.

Claim 18. (Original) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 1, wherein said resin is a polyimide resin.

Claim 19. (Currently Amended) A swash plate-type-compressor of claim 1 A swash platetype compressor comprising:

a rotatable swash plate;

a piston is connected to said swash plate via at least one shoe and reciprocates in company with each rotation of said swash plate; and

wherein said swash plate comprises a layer of a sintered metal impregnated with a resin on at least a swash plate surface sliding against said at least one shoe, and a surface of said layer is ground, and wherein said resin is a polyetheretherketone resin.

Claim 20. (Currently Amended) A swash-plate-type-compressor-of-claim 1 A swash platetype compressor comprising:

a rotatable swash plate;

a piston is connected to said swash plate via at least one shoe and reciprocates in company with each rotation of said swash plate; and

wherein said swash plate comprises a layer of a sintered metal impregnated with a resin on at least a swash plate surface sliding against said at least one shoe, and a surface of said layer is ground, wherein said resin is added comprises a solid lubricant is added to said resin and wherein said solid lubricant is selected from the group consisting of tungsten disulfide, boron nitride, antimony oxide, indium, stannum, argentum, and plumbum.

Claim 21-30. (Canceled).

Claim 31. (Original) A method for manufacturing a swash plate-type compressor, wherein said compressor comprises a rotatable swash plate and a piston, said piston is connected to said swash plate via at least one shoe and reciprocates in company with each rotation of said swash plate. Said method comprising the steps of:

sintering a metal on said swash plate surface:

impregnating a resin into a layer of said sintered metal;

hardening said resin; and

grinding an outer surface of said impregnated layer.

Claim 32. (Original) The method of claim 31, further comprising the step of adding a solid lubricant to said layer.

Claim 33. (Original) The method of claim 31, further comprising the step of adding a solid lubricant to said resin.

- Claim 34. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is a thermoplastic resin.
- Claim 35. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is a thermosetting resin.
- Claim 36. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is an epoxy resin.
- Claim 37. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is a phenol resin.
- Claim 38. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is a polyimideamide resin.
- Claim 39. (New) A swash plate-type compressor of claim 20, wherein said resin is a polyimide resin.